

# The Life Cycle of a Frog

- Watch this video to remind you of the Lifecycle of a Butterfly and Metamorphosis.

[The Life Cycle of Animals](#) from BBC Bitesize

- Answer the question:

1. *What is metamorphosis?*

Metamorphosis is \_\_\_\_\_

- Then watch these videos on the Life Cycle of a Frog.

[Life Cycle of a Frog](#) from DK findout!

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[Frogs are Amphibians](#) from School Britannica

- Answer these questions:

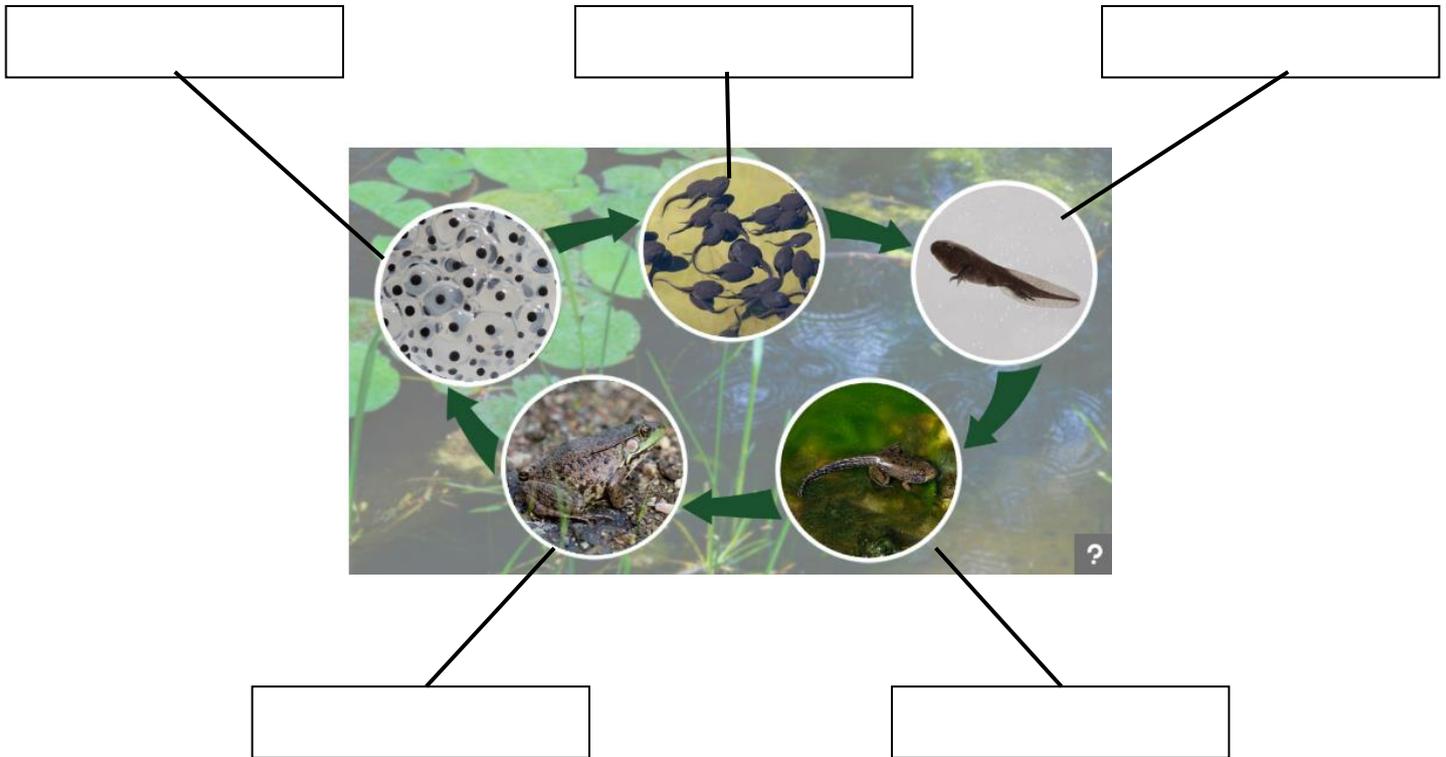
2. *What is the name given to the young of a frog?*

The larva stage of a frog is \_\_\_\_\_

3. *How do frogs reproduce? Choose the correct answer.*

- By spreading seeds*
- By dividing in two*
- By laying eggs*
- By giving birth to live young*

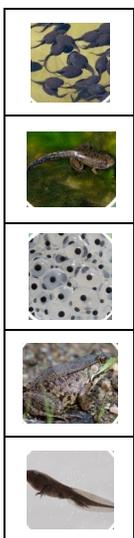
4. This picture shows the life cycle of a frog. Draw this into your home learning books and write the missing stages in the boxes.



Adult Frog	Tadpole	Froglet	Tadpole with legs	Egg
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**Easy**

5. Match the pictures to each stage of the life cycle of a frog. You can draw this in your books or complete here.



By late summer, the froglet will have grown into a large, adult frog.
By early summer, the tadpoles will have grown legs.
In spring, frogs lay eggs in a blob of clear jelly called 'frogspawn'.
In late spring, the black dots hatch out.
A few weeks after growing its tiny legs, a tadpole develops into a small froglet.

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6. Write a paragraph to describe the life cycle of a frog in your homework learning books.

## Challenge

7. Describe the similarities and differences between the lifecycles of a butterfly and a frog. Use the questions below to help you.

- What is the first stage of a butterfly life cycle? What is the first stage of a frog life cycle?
- Where does the butterfly lay its eggs? Where does a frog lay its eggs?
- What is the larva stage of butterfly? What is the larva stage of a frog?
- How does a caterpillar change into a butterfly? How does a tadpole change into a frog?
- How long is the life cycle of butterfly? How long is the life cycle of a frog?